

and that all time during adjournment count post-cloture on Reid (for Reed) Amendment No. 2874.

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Nominations Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nominations:

Tomasz P. Malinowski, of the District of Columbia, to be Assistant Secretary of State for Democracy, Human Rights, and Labor. Pages S2081–82, S2134

Portia Y. Wu, of the District of Columbia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Labor. Pages S2081–82, S2134

Deborah L. Bix, of Maryland, to be Ambassador at Large and Coordinator of United States Government Activities to Combat HIV/AIDS Globally.

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Record Votes: Three record votes were taken today. (Total—98) Pages S2047, S2081

Adjournment: Senate convened at 9 a.m. and adjourned at 8:02 p.m., until 9:30 a.m. on Thursday, April 3, 2014. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Majority Leader in today's Record on page S2134.)

Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

APPROPRIATIONS: DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Department of Defense concluded a hearing to examine proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 2015 for the Department of the Air Force, after receiving testimony from Deborah Lee James, Secretary of the Air Force, General Mark A. Welsh III, Chief of Staff of the Air Force, General Frank J. Grass, Chief of the National Guard Bureau, Lieutenant General Stanley E. Clarke III, Director of the Air National Guard,

and Lieutenant General James F. Jackson, Chief of the Air Force Reserve, all of the Department of Defense.

APPROPRIATIONS: NATIONAL INSTITUTES OF HEALTH

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and Related Agencies concluded a hearing to examine proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 2015 for the National Institutes of Health, after receiving testimony from Francis S. Collins, Director, Anthony S. Fauci, Director, National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases, Harold Varmus, Director, National Cancer Institute, Gary H. Gibbons, Director, National Heart, Lung and Blood Institute, Story Landis, Director, National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke, and Christopher P. Austin, Director, National Center for Advancing Translational Sciences, all of the National Institutes of Health, Department of Health and Human Services.

APPROPRIATIONS: DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Transportation, Housing and Urban Development, and Related Agencies concluded a hearing to examine proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 2015 for the Department of Housing and Urban Development, after receiving testimony from Shaun Donovan, Secretary of Housing and Urban Development.

APPROPRIATIONS: DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY'S OFFICE OF TERRORISM AND FINANCIAL INTELLIGENCE AND ITS ADMINISTRATION AND ENFORCEMENT OF SANCTIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Financial Services and General Government concluded a hearing to examine proposed budget estimates and justification for fiscal year 2015 for the Department of the Treasury's Office of Terrorism and Financial Intelligence and its administration and enforcement of sanctions, after receiving testimony from David S. Cohen, Under Secretary of the Treasury for Terrorism and Financial Intelligence.

APPROPRIATIONS: UNITED STATES ARMY CORPS OF ENGINEERS AND THE DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Energy and Water Development concluded a hearing to examine proposed budget estimates and justification for fiscal year 2015 for the United States Army Corps of Engineers and the Department of the Interior, after receiving testimony from Lowell Pimley,

Acting Commissioner, Bureau of Reclamation, and Anne Castle, Assistant Secretary for Water and Science, both of the Department of the Interior; and Jo-Ellen Darcy, Assistant Secretary of the Army for Civil Works, and Lieutenant General Thomas P. Bostick, Chief of Engineers, Army Corps of Engineers, both of the Department of Defense.

APPROPRIATIONS: DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE AND THE DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Military Construction and Veterans Affairs, and Related Agencies concluded a hearing to examine proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 2015 for the Department of Defense and the Department of the Army, after receiving testimony from Michael J. McCord, Principal Deputy Under Secretary (Comptroller), John Conger, Acting Deputy Under Secretary for Installations and Environment, Katherine G. Hammack, Assistant Secretary of the Army for Installations, Energy, and Environment, Major General Al Aycok, Director of Operations, Office of the Assistant Chief of Staff for Installation Management, Brigadier General Michael E. Bobeck, Special Assistant to the Director, Army National Guard, and James B. Balocki, Command Executive Officer, United States Army Reserve Command, all of the Department of Defense.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION REQUEST AND FUTURE YEARS DEFENSE PROGRAM

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on SeaPower concluded a hearing to examine Marine Corps modernization in review of the Defense Authorization Request for fiscal year 2015 and the Future Years Defense Program, after receiving testimony from General John M. Paxton, Jr., USMC, Assistant Commandant, and Lieutenant General Kenneth J. Glueck, Jr., USMC, Deputy Commandant, Combat Development and Integration, and Commanding General, Marine Corps Combat Development Command, both of the United States Marine Corps, Department of Defense.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION REQUEST AND FUTURE YEARS DEFENSE PROGRAM

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Readiness and Management Support concluded a hearing to examine military construction, environmental, energy, and base closure programs in review of the Defense Authorization Request for fiscal year 2015 and the Future Years Defense Program, after receiving testimony from John C. Conger, Acting Deputy Under Secretary for Installations and Environment, Sharon E. Burke, Assistant Secretary for Operational Energy Plans and Programs, Katherine G.

Hammack, Assistant Secretary of the Army for Installations, Energy and Environment, Dennis V. McGinn, Assistant Secretary of the Navy for Energy, Installations and Environment, and Kathleen I. Ferguson, Acting Assistant Secretary of the Air Force for Installations, Environment and Logistics, all of the Department of Defense.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION REQUEST AND FUTURE YEARS DEFENSE PROGRAM

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Strategic Forces concluded a hearing to examine ballistic missile defense policies and programs in review of the Defense Authorization Request for fiscal year 2015 and the Future Years Defense Program, after receiving testimony from M. Elaine Bunn, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Nuclear and Missile Defense Policy, J. Michael Gilmore, Director, Operational Test and Evaluation, Vice Admiral James D. Syring, USN, Director, Missile Defense Agency, and Lieutenant General David L. Mann, USA, Commander, United States Army Space and Missile Defense Command, Army Forces Strategic Command, and Joint Functional Component Command for Integrated Missile Defense, all of the Department of Defense; and Cristina T. Chaplain, Director, Acquisition and Sourcing Management, Government Accountability Office.

GENERAL MOTORS RECALL

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Subcommittee on Consumer Protection, Product Safety, and Insurance concluded a hearing to examine the General Motors (GM) recall and the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration's (NHTSA) defect investigation process, after receiving testimony from David Friedman, Acting Administrator, National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, and Calvin L. Scovel III, Inspector General, both of the Department of Transportation; and Mary Barra, General Motors, Detroit, Michigan.

DATA BREACHES AND PERSONAL INFORMATION

Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs: Committee concluded a hearing to examine data breach on the rise, focusing on protecting personal information from harm, and how Federal agencies need to enhance responses to data breaches, after receiving testimony from Edith Ramirez, Chairwoman, Federal Trade Commission; William Noonan, Deputy Special Agent in Charge, United States Secret Service, Criminal Investigative Division, Cyber Operations Branch, Department of Homeland Security; Gregory C. Wilshusen, Director, Information Security Issues, Government Accountability Office; former Minnesota Governor Tim Pawlenty, The

Financial Services Roundtable, Washington, D.C.; Sandra L. Kennedy, Retail Industry Leaders Association, Arlington, Virginia; and Tiffany O. Jones, iSIGHT Partners, Inc., Chantilly, Virginia.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Indian Affairs: Committee ordered favorably reported the following business items:

S. 161, to extend the Federal recognition to the Little Shell Tribe of Chippewa Indians of Montana;

S. 1074, to extend Federal recognition to the Chickahominy Indian Tribe, the Chickahominy Indian Tribe-Easter Division, the Upper Mattaponi Tribe, the Rappahannock Tribe, Inc., the Monacan Indian Nation, and the Nansemond Indian Tribe; and

S. 1219, to authorize the Pechanga Band of Luiseno Mission Indians Water Rights Settlement, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute.

INDIAN AFFAIRS BILLS

Committee on Indian Affairs: Committee concluded a hearing to examine S. 1474, to encourage the State of Alaska to enter into intergovernmental agreements with Indian tribes in the State relating to the enforcement of certain State laws by Indian tribes, to improve the quality of life in rural Alaska, to reduce

alcohol and drug abuse, S. 1570, to amend the Indian Health Care Improvement Act to authorize advance appropriations for the Indian Health Service by providing 2-fiscal-year budget authority, S. 1574, to amend the Indian Employment, Training and Related Services Demonstration Act of 1992 to facilitate the ability of Indian tribes to integrate the employment, training, and related services from diverse Federal sources, S. 1622, to establish the Alyce Spotted Bear and Walter Soboleff Commission on Native Children, and S. 2160, to amend the Indian Child Protection and Family Violence Prevention Act to require background checks before foster care placements are ordered in tribal court proceedings, after receiving testimony from former Senator Byron L. Dorgan, Center for Native American Youth at the Aspen Institute, Washington, D.C.; Kevin Washburn, Assistant Secretary of the Interior for Indian Affairs; Lillian Sparks Robinson, Commissioner, Administration for Native Americans, Administration for Children and Families, Department of Health and Human Services; Natasha Singh, Tribal Court Judge, Stevens Village, Alaska; Margaret Zientek, 447 Tribal Work Group, Shawnee, Oklahoma; and Leander Russell McDonald, Spirit Lake Tribe, Fort Totten, North Dakota.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Public Bills and Resolutions Introduced: 18 public bills, H.R. 4365–4382; and 2 resolutions, H. Res. 535–536 were introduced. **Pages H2853–54**

Additional Cosponsors: **Pages H2854–55**

Reports Filed: Reports were filed today as follows:

H.R. 1425, to amend the Marine Debris Act to better address severe marine debris events, and for other purposes (H. Rept. 113–398, Pt. 1) and

H.R. 1491, to authorize the Administrator of the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration to provide certain funds to eligible entities for activities undertaken to address the marine debris impacts of the March 2011 Tohoku earthquake and subsequent tsunami, and for other purposes, with an amendment (H. Rept. 113–399, Pt. 1). **Page H2853**

Speaker: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he appointed Representative Thompson (PA) to act as Speaker pro tempore for today. **Page H2805**

Recess: The House recessed at 10:41 a.m. and reconvened at 12 noon. **Page H2809**

Chaplain: The prayer was offered by the guest chaplain, Reverend Dr. Bryan Smith, First Baptist Church Roanoke, Roanoke, Virginia. **Page H2809**

Journal: The House agreed to the Speaker's approval of the Journal by a yea-and-nay vote of 262 yeas to 157 nays with 2 answering "present", Roll No. 154. **Pages H2820–21**

Save American Workers Act of 2014: The House began consideration of H.R. 2575, to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to repeal the 30-hour threshold for classification as a full-time employee for purposes of the employer mandate in the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act and replace it with 40 hours. Consideration of the measure is expected to resume tomorrow, April 3rd. **Pages H2813–21**

Pursuant to the rule, the amendment in the nature of a substitute recommended by the Committee on Ways and Means now printed in the bill shall be considered as adopted. **Page H2821**